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THE ELKS MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES

The Elks Memorial Day service, conducted at the Majestic Theater last Sunday, was well attended considering the stormy and threatening weather. These services are more largely attended each year as the people learn the character of them and know that they will hear a good address and splendid music, appropriate to such an occasion.

Bishop J. W. Atwood was to deliver the address this year, but owing to the fact that the train in which he was coming was wrecked, was unable to reach here, but his place was very ably filled by Rev. Frank C. Reid, who, upon only a few minutes notice, delivered one of the most impressive addresses we have heard. As the Exalted Ruler said after the address, "a member of the order who heard Rev. Reid's talk would think that he was familiar with the ritualistic work of our order."

The music rendered Miss Lightburne's orchestra, the personnel of which is composed largely of young children, rendered selections which would be a credit to musicians of much more experience. They demonstrated that they were under an excellent instructor.

The double quartette, under the direction of Mr. W. R. Lyon, and accompanied by Miss Mars, rendered selections, which for sweetness and harmony, would be difficult to excel.

Miss Lossing, with Miss Flora Jensen as accompanist, rendered "The Singing in God's Acre" in her sweetest voice and the audience almost felt that they were in that "Acre" while listening to her singing.

The Exalted Ruler announced that the ranks of this lodge had not been invaded by death during the past year, for which all are truly grateful.

Judge Alden Lecture

A man said of Judge Alden's lecture: "It was the boldest, bravest and brociuest lecture that I have ever listened to." Alden is a man of culture and refinement; an orator who knows how to hold his audience; but more—he is a man of the world with judgment and sense. That is what makes the Alden lecture worth while. Everyone likes to hear good things, and when good things are well said, they are of all the greater value. Few men have more return dates than does Mr. Alden. This fact is evidence of the popularity and appeal of message.

An Iowa paper gave him this praise: "Judge Alden, of Boston, was surely the strongest man on the course. He is a scholar and an orator. His statements are surely unanswerable. He is hitting the nail squarely on the head every time he speaks. The more people who hear him, the better for religion and society. An address such as he delivers is worth a hundred lessons on special reforms. After all, the responsibility comes home to every person."

The New Hampton Courier presented this notice after Alden's appearance: "Witty, logical, winning, intense and practical, he won all hearts and set in motion thoughts that we apprehend will bear fruit."

In Alden, there is, without doubt, a treat for all Flagstaff people who will hear him. In putting on the Normal lecture course the greatest effort has been paid to secure first-class talent, and Alden ranks with the best. Hear him tomorrow (Saturday) night, Dec. 7.

Episcopal Services

On Sunday Dec. 8th, the rector, Rev. Joseph L. Meade, will preach at both the morning and evening service.

At the eleven o'clock service there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion.

The subject of the morning service will be, The Self Knowledge of Our Lord.

Those interested in the service will be made welcome.

Presbyterian Church

A church sociable under the auspices of the Sunday School will be held in the church Friday evening of this week.

Friends are invited to enjoy a pleasant evening with us.

Music will be rendered by Miss Lightburne's Orchestra.

Usual Services next Sabbath: Pastor's theme for morning and evening are respectively: "A Call to Service" and "The Condition of Lazarus and Dives Contrasted."

The public cordially invited to all services.

C. A. Foreman,
Pastor.

CORPORATION COMMISSION ORDER

J. W. Francis, et al, complainants, vs. Wells, Fargo and Company, a corporation, defendant. Submitted November 11, 1912. Decided Dember 3, 1912.

By the Commission: The laws of this state provide that this commission shall have power to prescribe the limits within which express packages and property shall be collected and distributed without extra charge therefor being made, by express companies doing business in this State.

The complaint filed herein and subscribed by J. W. Francis and other citizens of the incorporated Town of Flagstaff alleges that the defendant herein does do and transact a large volume of express business in the town of Flagstaff, but that said defendant refuses to collect or deliver express packages and matter to its customers save and except at its office during certain hours, thereby causing great inconvenience to its customers.

Upon the matters and things in said complaint set forth, hearing was had at Flagstaff on the 11th day of November, 1912, at which time and place a full presentation of evidence relevant to the issues was made by both complainants and defendant.

From the evidence, and the whole thereof, it is the opinion of the Commission that the defendant should collect and deliver express packages and matters to its customers or patrons within the corporate limits of the Town of Flagstaff free of any extra charge made or collected therefor.

It Is Therefore Ordered: That, on or before the 2nd day of January, 1913, and until the further order of this Commission in the premises made and provided, Wells, Fargo and Company, a corporation, shall collect and deliver, promptly and efficiently, and without extra or special charge to be made, collected or received therefor, all express packages and property received or to be received, collected or to be collected by said corporation, to or from any residence or place of business of any person, firm or corporation, situated within the present corporate limits of the Town of Flagstaff, State of Arizona.

ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

W. P. GEARVY,

Chairman.

F. A. JONES,

A. W. COLE,

Commissioners.

Attest—CHAS. A. SMITH,

Secretary.

Dated Phoenix, Arizona, this 3d day of December, 1912.

COCONINO LUMBER AND TIMBER COMPANY

The Coconino Lumber and Timber Co., of which the Sun recently made mention, is pushing work on the construction work at Riordan as fast as possible, and it is hoped by the management that the plant will be ready for operation early in January. Mr. Beutke, who has charge of the work, is pushing the work as fast as he can under the conditions. The mill site is in one of the finest timbered sections in the state and it will make the handling of the logs a comparatively easy matter. The new plant will have a capacity of 80,000 feet daily. A planing mill and box factory will be two important auxiliaries to the mill and the product of which will find ready market. The operation of this new plant will be of untold value to northern Arizona, and the employment of a large force of men will increase the circulating medium in this section. The new enterprise will no doubt prosper, as there is always a good and growing demand for lumber and mill products.

Elza Brown of Seligman was in town the first of the week.

J. H. Simpson of Seligman was in town the first of the week.

F. J. Fisher and wife of Tuba were in Flagstaff last Saturday.

W. B. Magill of Williams was a county seat visitor last Saturday.

A. H. Wilde of Albuquerque, New Mexico, was in town last Tuesday.

I. D. Keel of San Francisco, was interviewing our business men yesterday.

Jas Duffy of Needles, California, was a visitor in Flagstaff the first of the week.

E. G. Bolton of Winslow was up from the railroad metropolis the first of the week.

Dixon Flagenberg of Prescott was a guest at the Commercial Monday of this week.

D. N. Stewart of Kingman was among the arrivals from the west last Saturday morning.

W. H. Herron of Williams was transacting business at the county seat the first of the week.

J. W. Dial of Seligman was up this week getting a little fresh air right off the Frisco peaks.

A few flakes of the beautiful just to remind us that winter may come along here most any old time.

P. G. Valencia of Los Angeles was in the skylight city yesterday, getting a real fresh breath of air.

The board of Supervisors met Monday and transacted the usual routine of monthly business. The minutes will appear in the next issue of the Sun.

The Broadway Restaurant has a flaming new sign which is quite attractive. It would seem that a change in the name of Le Roux street to "Broadway" is quite within the reach of a possibility.

Herman Dietzman, who has been down in the southland with a bunch of blats, returned the first of the week to Flagstaff. He will probably remain in the Skylight City, as he does not like the wool growing business very well.

Mrs. Patrick this week made an assignment for the benefit of creditors, and the stock of goods of "The Leader" has been turned over to J. E. Jones, as attorney for the creditors. An inventory was taken of the stock the first of the week.

W. H. James, who has been doing carpenter work on the new buildings out at the Grand Canyon, is again able to be up and around, after a weeks' stay at the hospital, caused by a severe attack of grippe and pneumonia. He went back to the Canyon again last Wednesday, much improved.

K. of P. Elect Officers

At the regular meeting of the Knights of Pythias lodge, held in Elks hall Wednesday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

N. D. Swartout, C. C.; Albert Dennis, V. C.; G. N. Baty, Prelate; D. L. Thomas, M. of W.; W. W. Durham, M. of E.; C. P. Hanna, M. of A.; F. O. Allen, K. of R. S.

The installation will take place at the first meeting of the lodge in January, 1913.

Thomas McCarthy and D. L. Thomas were appointed delegates and Aubrey Dennis alternate to the K. of P. grand lodge, which meets in Tucson next March.

Lyric Theatre Re-Opens

The Lyric Theatre was reopened to the public last Monday evening under entirely new management. A splendid four-piece orchestra furnishes the music for the playhouse, and is rendering some excellent music each evening. The pictures are exceptionally good and those who have attended are well pleased with the Lyric under new management.

AT THE COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE

The Transactions of the Past Two Weeks in That County Office

Satisfaction of mortgage, L. L. & W. W. Van Deren to Guy H. Bailey.

Articles of Incorporation, Chino Valley Land & Cattle Co.

Release of realty mortgage, David Babbitt to H. O. Dickinson et ux.

Bill of Sale, Joe Tribble & Lee Cockrel to J. T. E. Cauffman.

Bill of sale, Joe Tribble & Lee Cockrel to R. A. Cauffman.

Power of Attorney, Fred Reneke to George Reneke.

Satisfaction of mortgage, J. W. Stone to F. A. Reid & R. A. Evans.

Satisfaction of mortgage, T. E. Presley to F. A. Reid & R. A. Evans.

Quit claim deed, Saginaw & Manistee Lbr. Co. to E. W. Carlson.

Bill of sale, Pitts & Co. to Shannon Albright.

Affidavit of labor, Lucky Strike, Francis Min. Dist. Irvin L. Sanders.

Affidavit of labor, Little Mamie, Francis Min. Dist. Irvin L. Sanders.

Assignment of mortgage, Mrs. Theresa Walsh to James Walsh.

Release of chattel mortgage, James Walsh to W. J. Smith.

Bill of sale, John N. Anderson to Rosa M. Anderson.

Warranty deed, Felcia A. Brannen to W. W. Hudgings.

Appointment Chief Probation Officer, F. W. Perkins, Judge to James D. Dunn.

Appointment of Deputy Sheriff, T. E. Pulliam, sheriff to James D. Dunn.

Chattel Mortgage, Mrs. Geo. Reaney to Hill & Kennedy.

Material man's lien, F. E. Pierce assignee, Vs. V. P. Wyland, & Eric Denver et ux.

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Bill of Sale, John N. Anderson to Sumpter M. Grissom.

Warranty deed, Ambrosia Armijo et ux to Arizona Lumber & Timber Co.

Release of chattel mortgage, Arizona Central Bank to Joseph Morgan.

Warranty deed, Frank P. Miller et ux to Babbitt Polson Co.

Deed, Santa Fe Pacific R. Co. to United States of America.

Release of chattel mortgage, Tom H. Wagner to A. P. Fuqua.

Release of realty mortgage, E. M. Crown to E. G. Carroll et ux.

Realty mortgage, Delliea, Reaney to Saginaw & Mainstee Lbr. Co.

RECEPTION TO REV. AND MRS. MEADE

Last Friday the ladies of the Episcopal church changed the Elks hall into a beautiful drawing room that they might more fittingly receive the Rev. Joseph Lyons Meade and bride, who have just returned from their wedding trip. The walls of the hall were covered with white bunting, over which were hung garlands of evergreens. White and yellow chrysanthemums were used in great profusion in the large hall, while American Beauty roses formed the center piece on the table in the dining room, from which were served the refreshments.

Dr. E. S. Miller, as Senior Warden of the Episcopal church, and Miss Spear, as president of Saint Margaret's Guild, received over two hundred friends who had come to welcome Rev. and Mrs. Meade.

Mrs. Meade wore her wedding gown of white satin, trimmed with pearls and old lace. She carried a large bouquet of white Carnations and Lillies of the Valley.

The reception was one of the most beautiful ever given in Flagstaff and was of especial interest for it was to welcome the Rector back to his parish and his bride to her new home.

More Troops On Border

San Antonio, Dec. 4.—Eight troops of the Third United States cavalry now on the Mexican border patrol duty have been ordered to concentrate at Fort Sam Houston. The Second cavalry now at Fort Bliss will go on Mexican border patrol duty.

Broadway Restaurant

The Broadway Restaurant, Woo Shing, proprietor, was opened for business on Tuesday, Dec. 3, in the new Aubineau building. Everything is new, neat and clean, and the proprietor expects to make it one of the best places in town where one can appease his hunger.

Two Important Bills

Washington, Dec. 5.—The Adamson bill providing for a special commission to make physical valuations of all railroad properties and the Main amendment empowering the interstate commerce commission to regulate the issue of stocks and bonds, passed the house without division this morning.

15,000 Cattle Out of Mexico

Tucson, Dec. 5.—According to reports reaching here from parts of northern Mexico, it is said that cattlemen will soon ship into the United States about 15,000 head of cattle. This number of cattle represent a monetary value of about \$270,000. The cattle moved from northern Mexico into this country every year is taking on enormous proportions.

Uncle Sam's Big Receipt

A Washington dispatch says: The greatest single financial transaction in the history of the United States was consummated at the treasury department today when Carmi A. Thompson, the new treasurer of the United States, gave Lee McLung, his predecessor, a receipt for \$1,519,285,908.57 2-3, representing the money and securities in the personal custody of the treasurer on Nov. 21 when McLung retired.

The big amount for which Thompson received includes \$156,728,000 in silver dollars; \$2,196,000 in gold coins; \$379,885,000 in paper currency in reserve; \$833,647,000 in bonds and securities and \$22,819,000 in national bank notes in the process of redemption.

NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES.

Clifford Brooks was absent from school Tuesday on account of a severe attack of tonsillitis.

The Lee sisters, Miss Edith Smith, Miss Brinkerhoff and Mr. Baily Nelson spent Sunday in Fort Valley with Miss Brinkerhoff's relatives.

The Seniors are diligently rehearsing the comedy entitled, "The Merchant of Venice Up to Date," which they expect to put on by the middle of the month.

The boys have all lost their "Charley Horses" from the last battle and two elevens may be seen each evening upon the gridiron. They confidently expect to hang the "Indian" on the town team Tuesday evening.

Dr. R. H. H. Blome returned Tuesday from Tucson, where he delivered an address before the State Sunday School Association, of which he was elected president for the ensuing year. He also had the pleasure of delivering a sermon Sunday morning in the First Congregational church of Tucson.

FOOT BALL GAME AT NORMAL GROUNDS

Foot ball seems to be a reviving game in Flagstaff. The last game at the Normal was, all things considered, a good game, neither side scoring. However, this game was fuel to the flame of enthusiasm and next Tuesday evening there will be another game at the Normal School grounds, this time between the "no stars" team, composed of Flagstaff boys, and the Normal school team. The game will be an interesting one as each team is sure to do its best to carry away in its belt the scalp of the opponent. Practicing by both teams is the order of the day and when the boys meet there will be some scientific playing.

The business houses have consented to close from the hours of 3 to 5 o'clock in order to permit employees to attend and some to participate.

Those who are interested in the great sport will have opportunity to root loud and long. Go.

New Currency Design

A dispatch from Washington, D. C., says: With the end of preparations for the revolutionary changes in the design, and size of American currency in sight, Secretary MacVeagh of the treasury department expects to give an order for the printing of the new notes to Director Ralph of the bureau of engraving and printing about February 15, almost the end of the administration. It will require eighteen months to accomplish the change.

Propose Tariff Board

New York, Dec. 4.—The board of directors of the National Tariff Commission association instructed today that executive and legislative committee to arrange a national convention of the association to be held soon after the next congress convenes for the purpose of urging upon the new administration the establishment of a permanent tariff board, responsible to the president, and congress. It is probable the convention will be held in Washington next April.

W. G. Miller of Bellemont was in Flagstaff last Sunday.

Attorney George Glowner was up from Williams today.

The work progresses nicely on the new Episcopal church.

The children will be pleased to get into the new school building.

Reuben L. Neill, the stockman, is up from Canyon Diablo today.

Sam Quay and family moved yesterday into their new bungalow near the F. L. M. Co's mill.